

**IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF YORK COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA,  
ORPHANS' COURT DIVISION**

IN RE: Adoption of \_\_\_\_\_ : No.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Adoptee's name exactly as it appears on birth certificate)

**PETITION TO CONFIRM CONSENT TO ADOPTION**

23 Pa.C.S. §2504

**TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF SAID COURT:**

The following is respectfully represented:

1. List full name (including complete middle name) and address of petitioner(s), if no intermediary:

a) Name: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

b) Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

2. If petitioner is an intermediary, state complete name and address:

a) Name: \_\_\_\_\_

b) Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

3. This petition is filed with respect to:

a. Name (Exactly as it appears on birth certificate):

b. Date of birth:

c. Place of birth:

d. Age:

Sex:

4. Biological mother information:

a. Name (Exactly as it appears on birth certificate):

b. Present address:

c. If unknown, list last known address:

d. Date of birth:

Age:

5. Legal father information

a. Name (Exactly as it appears on birth certificate):

b. Present address:

c. If unknown, list last known address:

d. Date of birth:

Age:

e. Is he also the biological father? Yes / No (circle one)

6. Putative father information:

a. Name:

b. Present address:

c. If unknown, list last known address:

d. Date of birth:

Age:

e. Circumstances indicating the putative father's status:

7. Such parent, parents or putative father has/have executed a consent or consents to this adoption. The original(s) is/are attached to this petition.

8. Any putative father:

- a. Has / has not (circle one) executed a consent to the adoption; and,
- b. Has / has not (circle one) filed an acknowledgment of paternity or claim of paternity pursuant to 23 Pa.C.S. §5103.

**WHEREFORE**, the petitioner(s) pray the Court to hold a hearing for the purpose of confirming the intention of the parent, parents or putative father to voluntarily relinquish their rights and duties as evidenced by the consents to the adoption, and to enter a decree terminating their parental rights and duties as provided in 23 Pa.C.S. §2504.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Individual Petitioner

\_\_\_\_\_  
Individual Petitioner

\_\_\_\_\_  
Intermediary

\_\_\_\_\_  
Attorney for Petitioner(s)

By \_\_\_\_\_  
Authorized Signature

## VERIFICATION

This \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, the foregoing Petitioner(s) hereby verify, subject to the penalties of 18 Pa.C.S. §4904 (relating to unsworn falsification to authorities), that the facts set forth in the foregoing petition which are within their knowledge are true, and as to the facts based on information received, after diligent inquiry, petitioner(s) believe them to be true.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Individual Petitioner

\_\_\_\_\_  
Individual Petitioner

\_\_\_\_\_  
intermediary

By \_\_\_\_\_  
Authorized Signature

## ORDER OF COURT

AND NOW, TO WIT, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_, the foregoing petition is ordered filed, and a private hearing thereon is fixed for at \_\_\_\_\_ a.m. p.m., in Room No. \_\_\_\_\_ in the York County Judicial Center, York, PA. At least ten (10) days notice of the hearing in the form prescribed by 23 Pa.C.S. §2513 (b) shall be given by personal service or by registered or certified mail, at the present or last known address, to the parent, parents or putative father listed in the petition, and to the parent or guardian of any who have not reached 18 years of age. Notice shall state the parental rights of the parent, parents or putative father may be terminated as a result of the hearing.

\_\_\_\_\_, Esquire, is hereby appointed to represent the child listed in paragraph 3 of the petition.

BY THE COURT:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Judge